

Amendments to the Abstract

Replace the abstract with the following replacement abstract:

~~The invention relates to an~~ An impact attenuator, which is arranged to be flexible longitudinally as well as sideways, ~~as a trailer). The impact attenuator (1) comprises~~ has a rear part (2) with two wheels (22), an attenuating part, ~~(39) and~~ a front part (4) with two pivot wheels, (41) and a coupling part (5) for connection to ~~the~~ a vehicle (6). The coupling part (5) ~~comprises~~ has a damper (51) for dampening part of the force during a collision against the impact attenuator (1). During a minor collision against the impact attenuator the collision force is mainly absorbed by the damper (51). The damper (51) regains after a collision its original position and the impact attenuator can remain operative. During a larger collision against the impact attenuator, the collision forces ~~is~~ are also absorbed ~~also~~ by the attenuating part (3).

For the examiner's convenience, a clean text version of the replacement abstract (110 words) is presented below:

An impact attenuator, which is arranged to be flexible longitudinally as well as sideways, has a rear part with two wheels, an attenuating part, a front part with two pivot wheels, and a coupling part for connection to a vehicle. The coupling part has a damper for dampening part of the force during a collision against the impact attenuator. During a minor collision against the impact attenuator the collision force is mainly absorbed by the damper. The damper regains after a collision its original position and the impact attenuator can remain operative. During a larger collision against the impact attenuator, the collision forces are also absorbed by the attenuating part.